

Amendment of Claims

Please enter the amendments to the Claims as shown in the appended marked-up listing thereof. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application. No new matter is deemed to have been added to the amended Claims.

Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement

A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98. The reference(s) listed on the appended PTO IDS Forms may be deemed pertinent to the above-identified U.S. patent application and is(are) made of record to assist the U.S. Patent Office in its examination of the same.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the IDS submission fee of \$180.00 to our Deposit Account No. 50-3195.

Request for Extension of Time

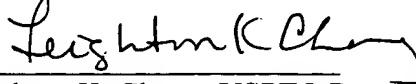
Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of time for response to the Examiner's action, i.e., until December 9, 2008.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the three-month time extension fee of \$555.00 (small entity) to our Deposit Account No. 50-3195.

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REMARKS

The Examiner's indication of the allowability of the subject matter of Claims 18, 100, and 101 is appreciated. Claims 18 and 101 are amended into independent form for allowance, including all limitations of the base and intervening claims. Claim 100 is amended into independent form for allowance and also amended to correct the indefiniteness cited by the Examiner. The Examiner's suggested terminology to correct indefiniteness has been adopted.

In amended independent Claims 18, 100, and 101, in the first subparagraph thereof, the phrase "receiving information associated with a content of a site" is substituted for the phrase in the rejected base claims of "entering information associated with the content of the site". The substituted phrase is deemed to be the complementary action on the server side to provide more focused claim coverage. No new matter is deemed to be added by the substituted phrase.

In amended independent Claims 18, 100, and 101, in the first subparagraph thereof, the phrase "or a portion thereof" after "which received information is not a WWW address" of the original phrase in the rejected base claims is omitted, since it is apparent that even a single character may be "a portion" of received information that is not a WWW address although it may be part of a correct WWW address. To avoid a nonsensical result and obviating the essence of the invention, this omission is deemed to be necessary and not to add new matter into the claim.

In amended independent Claims 18, 100, and 101, the original subject matter indicated to be allowable of "information ... entered into a URL entry field of ... [a] browser" is incorporated in the first subparagraph thereof from the rejected base claims of "receiving information ... which ... comprises characters typed for entry by a user". The redundant phrase "wherein said information is entered" is deleted, and the unnecessary phrase "in a same way" from the rejected base claims is omitted.

In amended independent Claims 18, 100, and 101, in the second subparagraph thereof, the phrase “providing said information to a software” from the rejected base claims is substituted with the phrase “said information being received by a software”. The substituted phrase is deemed to be the complementary action on the server side to provide more focused claim coverage. No new matter is deemed to be added by the substituted phrase.

In amended independent Claims 18, 100, and 101, in the fifth subparagraph thereof, the phrase “retrieving said page” from the rejected base claims is substituted with “sending the page address to the browser for retrieving said page”. This is deemed to be the complementary action on the server side to retrieving the page by the browser to provide more focused claim coverage. The amended recitation is supported in the original Specification at Page 12, Line 30, to Page 13, Line 5.

In amended independent Claims 18, 100, and 101, in the sixth subparagraph thereof, the phrase “directly displaying said page to the user” from the rejected base Claim 1 is substituted with the phrase “thereby causing said page to be directly displayed to the user”. This is deemed to be the complementary action on the server side to retrieving the page by the browser, for more focused claim coverage.

In amended independent Claims 100 and 101, in the last wherein clauses, antecedent definition is provided for “user information” and “user-dependent information”, respectively, to distinguish each term from the preceding term “said information ... entered by the user”, and thereby correct indefiniteness.

In amended independent Claim 100, in the third subparagraph thereof, the phrase “so as to provide” is changed to “to” for a more correct recitation and to avoid redundancy.

Depending Claims 19-20, 92-93, 95-96, 104-111, 113-120, 123-125, 128-134, 136-138,

and 160-163 are amended to depend from amended main Claims 18, 100, and 101, respectively.

Rejected Claims 1-3 and 7-17 are canceled, along with previously cancelled Claims 4-6, 21-91, 94, 97-99, 102-103, 112, 121-122, 126-127, 135, and 139-159. Cancellation of the rejected claims is made for purposes of advancing prosecution, and is deemed not to be a surrender of any invention subject matter and without prejudice to the right of Applicant to further pursue the invention subject matter of the rejected claims by filing a continuation application directed to such subject matter.

In response to the Examiner's objection to the drawings as not supporting Claim 18, FIGS 1 and 2 are amended so that a "URL entry field" is now denoted in conjunction with the browser 10 shown in FIG. 1 and browser 20 shown in FIG. 2. It is deemed to be well known in the industry that a standard browser includes a URL entry field for entering addresses of webpages to be viewed. Support for the URL entry field in the browser is found at Page 1, Lines 6-11, and Page 5, Lines 19-27, of the original Specification. No new matter is deemed to have been added to the corrected FIG. 1.

The numbers of independent claims and total claims after amendment are within those originally paid for with the filing of the Application, so no additional claim fee is deemed to be due.

In summary, the Application and Claims 18, 19-20, 92-93, 95-96, 100, 101, 104-111, 113-120, 123-125, 128-134, 136-138, and 160-163 are now deemed to be in condition for allowance, and it is requested that a Notice of Allowance be issued upon reconsideration.